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OF PRIMARY AND METASTATIC NEOPLASTIC
DISEASES USING ARSENIC COMPOUNDS**

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This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated March 17, 2003,
and Advisory Action dated July 16, 2003, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make
this response timely.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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